

panying petitions, to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Twitty, S. B. 397, bill to incorporate Green River Baptist Church in Polk County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Avery, S. B. 398, bill to amend article 4, section 27, of the Constitution so as to allow the General Assembly to increase and regulate the jurisdiction and powers of Justices of the Peace for the purpose of reducing costs in minor causes. Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Bellamy, S. B. 399, bill to incorporate the Brunswick, Western and Southern Railroad Company. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 400, bill to amend the Howard Relief Fire-engine Company of Wilmington. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Lucas, S. B. 401, bill to provide for the payment of the indebtedness of Beaufort County. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

By Mr. Ardrey, S. B. 402, bill to extend for a period of thirty years an act incorporating the Baltimore and North Carolina Copper and Gold Mining Company. Referred to the Committee on Corporations.

S. B. 403, bill to change the name of Mecklenburg County Poor-house. Placed on the Calendar.

By Mr. McLean, S. B. 404, bill to amend section 5, chapter 400, Laws of 1887. Referred to the Committee on Education.

By Mr. Bellamy, S. B. 405, bill to drain Lyon Swamp in Pender County. Referred to the Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. Lucas, S. B. 406, bill for the relief of Dr. Lewis H. Reed of Martin County, N. C. Referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Mr. Bishop,